IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: DRAKE

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Application No.: 10/084,262

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

CONTINUOUSLY FORMING DYE SUBLIMATION IMAGES IN SOLID

SUBSTRATES

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<u>PETITION FOR AN EXPEDITED FOREIGN FILING LICENSE</u>

Commissioner of Patents Attn: Licensing and Review Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

A license for foreign filing the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested under 37 C.F.R. § 5.11.

The subject application is a Continuation-In-Part of Application No. 09/823,290, filed March 29, 2001. A Foreign Filing License has already been granted for the parent case. The subject matter of this application is a method and apparatus for continuously forming dye sublimation images in solid substrates and is believed to be of no interest to the national security.

Attached is a check for \$130.00, the fee for expedited handling (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h)).

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. FSCOP002).

Accordingly, prompt issuance of a Foreign Filing License is respectfully requested.

KINDLY TELEPHONE ANNETTE MASIELLO AT (703) 415-3060 AS SOON AS THE LICENSE

IS ISSUED. SHE WILL PICK UP THE LICENSE IN PERSON.

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